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Dear Mr. Weisberg,

I address this letter as previously to you, but judging from the signature on yours of the 26th, I suspect my comments (at least in part) should be directed to your wife.

So, to begin with I thank you for the copy of WWII, which is more than that which I desired when I wrote to you relative to the defective pages. I would certainly appreciate the index you refer to and would appreciate knowing if there will be a charge.

Relative to returning the defective book, I have forwarded this to my father who is vacationing in Miami Beach. Since receipt of your letter I advised him of your desire to have this book returned and have instructed him to do so after he finishes reading it, I hope this meets with your approval.

In this weeks correspondence from my father, who has shared my enjoyment of your books on the assassination, I found a most interesting article. Knowing full well of your continued interest in this matter I took the liberty of duplicating it on my office machine and enclose a copy for you.

It wouldn't suprise me if this data was already in your possession or, if you have already researched this area. Nonetheless, I couldn't let it pass through my hands without at least advising you of it. Should time permit I would appreciate your comments on this article as well as the knowledge of whether or not you found any references to it in the extensive research you have undertaken.

Once again, thank you for the courtesy, the many hours of enjoyable reading you have furnished and my continued good wishes on your quest for the truth.

Sincerely,

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P.S. Are you familiar with the statement by Heywood Broun;
" For Truth There Is No Deadline"

PPS - Should you desire the original clipping will gladly forward it.

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Dear Mr. Brandon,

In my absence, my good wife tries to keep down the accumulation of mail, all of which we try and answer, that often keeps me from getting any work done for days after my return. So, because she does not recall, I do not know what index you refer to. WHITEWASH was first printed without an index. Subsequent printings contain the index. To those who have the first printing and send us a stamped, self-addressed envelope we send this without further cost. But you did not mention this in connection with the first book.

If there are subsequent editions of WHITEWASH II we shall have an index in them, but as of the moment, largely because I have not been able to take the time to promote it, we do not know if or when this will be. On the advice of our printer we had a very heavy first printing.

The copy of the Miami News story is much more complete than what I have. I am always glad to get such things. Whether or not they have immediate value to me or others to whom I refer material I am not in a position to use immediately, all of my files are, I believe, going to wind up in a university archive and they will have additional value in the future.

This incident bears a close resemblance to one of a series of such in the Commission's files. Many of the bad jokes made by those who were not always political opponents of the late President come back to haunt those who made them.

I am not familiar with the quote from Heywood Broun, of whom I was an admirer, and I appreciate getting it. I shall use it.

Thanks for the help and the kind words. WHITEWASH III is a little delayed by my continuing researches and other things. It will now be a larger book, with more material in it. I fear the more successful it is the more I'll lose on it unless I go to a higher price, which may reduce the sales.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg